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Moeller-Sahling receives Award

Folke-Christine Moeller-Sahling, assistant professor of German and director of humanities, received an Award for Innovative Excellence in Teaching, Learning, and Technology from the Center for the Advancement of Teaching and Learning at the 16th annual International Conference on Teaching and Learning, held March 29-April 2, in Jacksonville, Florida.

Moeller-Sahling was nominated by **Linda Bennett**, provost and vice president for Academic Affairs. Each college or university is eligible to nominate one faculty member "who has contributed in the most highly creative ways to teaching, learning and technology." The process is competitive; only a handful of faculty receives the award each year.

Charles Harrington, assistant vice president for Academic Affairs, said that Moeller-Sahling was nominated for her pedagogical design of a distance learning class in German. "As a result of her work with our Online Institute for Teaching and Learning, she got a grant to develop an online course, and it turned out exceptionally well," he said. "The course that she developed had some excellent pedagogical components." The class engaged students in the subject material by integrating language lessons with history and culture.

A native of Hamburg, Germany, Moeller-Sahling has been with the University since fall 2001. She holds a bachelor's degree in comparative literature from Hamilton College in New York, a master's degree in German studies from the University of Vermont, and a Ph.D. in Germanic languages and literature from Ohio State University.

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University Q & A: Julie Payne

Native Texan **Julie Payne** is director of Residence Life. Born in Fort Worth and raised in Houston, she moved to Evansville in July 1998 to accept a position as manager of Residence Education. "It was kind of a homecoming," she said. "My mother, grandparents, and great-grandparents are all from Indianapolis – so I've got Hoosier and Texas blood running through my veins!"

Payne got involved with theater in her mid-twenties, when she accompanied a friend to an audition. She's been acting ever since, and was cast in Civic Theatre's *Nunsense III* two weeks after moving to Evansville. Her most recent performance was in Henderson Community Theatre's production of *Anything Goes*.

What was your first job?

I was a cashier at Randall's grocery store.

What is your most marked characteristic?

I am full of boundless energy and very positive!

What is your greatest strength?

I have two – compassion and determination.

What is your principal defect?

Defect? Did my warranty run out? Seriously – I would have to say a certain level of impatience.

What natural gift would you most like to possess?

I would love to be able to ice skate GRACEFULLY. I can put the skates on – but graceful is not a word you would use to describe my ice skating abilities.

What is your dream of happiness?

I'm living it right now. I love my job, my family, my friends, my colleagues, and my life. Sure, the daily routine and challenges can bog me down, but I have to challenge myself to see every day that there is wonder and beauty all around – I just have to stop and realize that it's there.

What to your mind would be the greatest of misfortunes?

That there would be no music or laughter in the world – that would be tragic.

Where would you like to live?

Either the west coast (Washington State) or in the motherland – Texas! But I'm having a great time as a Hoosier.

Where would you like to visit?

Italy.

Who are your favorite composers or musicians?

George Gershwin, Aaron Copeland, Cole Porter, Annie Lennox, Eric Clapton, Mary Chapin Carpenter, and Jonny Lang.

Who are your heroes in real life?

My mother – she is absolutely amazing. She put herself through law school while holding a full time job and raising a challenging child (yes – that would be me). Through it all she remains a pillar of support for me – and a continual source of inspiration. If I can be half the woman she is – I will have lived richly.

What was the last song that you heard and loved?

That would have to be Jonny Lang's "The One I Got" from his latest CD. I'm actually listening to it right now, and am amazed by the talent of this young blues artist, as well as by the powerful emotion in the song itself.

What is your hobby and what about it gives you joy?

I am a performer in local theater productions – mainly musicals. It combines many of the things I love – acting, singing, dancing – and it gives me a release from the everyday pressures of life. How better to “escape” than to become another person? In truth, I love the joy of connecting with people through song – bringing happiness, causing them to think, and challenging their perspectives. In return, I have the privilege of growing as an artist, and as a human being.

If you could change one thing about your appearance, what would it be and why?

Aside from maintaining my health by more regular exercise and a better diet – I don't think I would change anything. Maybe my hair color – a little experimenting there might be fun.

If you could live in a different time period, what time period would it be and why?

I'd live in the Big Band era and pursue a solo singing career. I love the music of that time period.

What are you doing in a parallel universe?

Living in New York City in a small apartment with probably about four other starving artists, auditioning for Broadway musicals, and sharing the last can of beans with one of my roommates!

Have you written your epitaph? If so, what does it say?

Very simply – “My wish for all – Peace, love, and enough.”

If you'd like to be featured in University Notes Q & A, or would like to recommend a faculty or staff member, contact the editor at wkbredhold@usi.edu.

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Pearl to attend anniversary celebration and golf scramble

The 1995 USI national championship men's basketball team is returning for a 10th anniversary celebration Friday, June 10, at the Physical Activities Center. The celebration will be in conjunction with the USI Varsity Club Golf Scramble scheduled for Thursday, June 9, at Helfrich Hills Golf Course.

Returning to attend the golf scramble and the celebration is former USI and new University of Tennessee Head Coach **Bruce Pearl**; 1995 NABC Division II Player of the Year and current University of Indianapolis Assistant Coach **Stan Gouard**; and 1995 GLVC Player of the Year and current Jeffersonville (Indiana) High School Girls Head Coach **Chad Gilbert**.

Tickets to the 10th anniversary reception are \$25 each. The reception starts at 7 p.m. and the program at 8:30 p.m.

Foursomes are already being reserved for the 29th annual golf scramble. Entry fees are \$125 per person, including green fee, cart, and an awards banquet.

Reservations for foursomes in the 7:30 a.m. or 12:45 p.m. tee-time and/or to attend the 10th anniversary celebration can be made by calling the Varsity Club Office at 812/464-1973.

All proceeds benefit the USI Varsity Club. Last year's event raised over \$20,000 to help fund athletic scholarships.

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Presidential Scholars for 2005-2006

Ten Indiana high school students ranked first or second in their senior class at the end of the fall semester are selected for the competitive Presidential Scholarships each year.

The 2005-2006 recipients are **Priyanka Arshanapalli**, Crown Point; **Sarah Baysden**, Shelbyville; **Aafke Bleecker**, Lanesville; **Danielle Cundiff**, Dana; **Sara Elpers**, Evansville; **Jillian Freeman**, Albion; **Renee Hitch**, Fredericksburg; **Andrew Jones**, Rockport; **Leslie McCrary**, Laconia; and **Jacklyn Neumann**, Wadesville.

Priyanka Arshanapalli, the daughter of Bala and Vidya Arshanapalli of Crown Point, plans to major in biology/pre-med and business administration. In addition to the Presidential Scholarship, Priyanka is a recipient of the Baccalaureate/Doctor of Medicine Scholarship, which offers full tuition for undergraduate work and a provisional seat in the Evansville Center for Medical Education of Indiana University School of Medicine. While enrolled at Merrillville High School, Priyanka was junior class secretary, senior class vice president, and a member of the National Honor Society.

The daughter of Dalton “Bud” and Virginia Baysden of Shelbyville, Sarah Baysden was captain of the track team and a member of the Latin Club and National Honor Society at Shelbyville High School. She participated in cross-country and soccer, and also volunteered for the Vital Bridges AIDS Center and the Hoosier Riverwatch Adopt-A-River program. She plans to major in biology/pre-med.

Aafka Bleecker was president of her senior class at Lanesville Junior-Senior High School, was active in French Club, and participated in the school's Renaissance Steering Committee all four years, serving as chairman her senior year. She was involved in the Academic Bowl all four years, serving as captain her senior year. She was a member of the All-State Choir and was the school's mascot her senior year. The daughter of Mark and Edith Bleecker of Lanesville, she plans to major in secondary education.

The daughter of Daniel and Sue Etta Cundiff of Dana, Danielle Cundiff attended South Vermillion High School. She was president of the freshman class and student council president her senior year, and was active in the English, math and spelling academic teams, worked on the student newspaper, and was in theatrical productions all four years. She plans to major in biology/pre-med.

Sara Elpers, the daughter of Eugene and Carol Elpers of Evansville, is a graduate of Bosse High School, where she was on the speech, math, science, and social studies academic teams, and was a member of the National Honor Society and the pep and Spanish clubs. She plans to major in elementary education and English with an emphasis in creative writing.

Jillian Freeman is the daughter of Jim and Deb Freeman of Albion. She attended Central Noble High School, where she was a leader in student government, a member of the National Honor Society, and on the varsity basketball and baseball teams. She also was involved in theater and 4-H. She plans to major in biology/pre-optometry.

The daughter of W. Walton and Jane Hitch of Fredericksburg, Renee Hitch plans to major in international studies with a minor in business marketing. A graduate of West Washington High School, she was French Club president, senior class treasurer, treasurer (junior year) and president (senior year) of the National Honor Society, and captain of the Academic Bowl team. She also was in band and a member of the spirit club.

Andrew L. Jones, the son of Edward and Dee Ann Jones of Rockport, attended South Spencer High School. He was a leader in student council all four years, serving as president his senior

year, and was a member of the spirit club all four years, serving as secretary his senior year. He is considering majoring in nursing and biology.

South Central Senior High School graduate Leslie McCrary is the daughter of Terry and Kathy McCrary of Laconia. Leslie was a member of the art club; concert, marching, and pep band; student council; and National Honor Society. She was on the staff of the student newspaper her junior and senior years and played tennis all four years. She is undecided about her major.

Jacklyn Marie Neumann, the daughter of Michael and Katrina Neumann of Wadesville, is a graduate of North Posey High School, where she was student council president her freshman, sophomore, and junior years, and vice president her senior year. She was president of her class all four years, and president of the National Honor Society her senior year. She was a member of the German, pep, and varsity clubs. She played volleyball, softball, and basketball, and was on the track and field team her junior and senior year. She plans to major in biology/pre-med and mathematics.

The scholarships cover tuition, fees, books, and room and board for a full four years. Each scholarship is currently valued at \$42,000.

A Presidential Scholar must maintain a minimum of 12 credit hours each semester to remain eligible for the scholarship. The Presidential Scholar must also maintain a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.2 (on a 4.0 scale) for 62 credit hours attempted, at least a 3.4 cumulative GPA for the remaining credit hours.

The Presidential Scholarship program began in 1988 to attract outstanding Indiana students to USI. The scholarships are funded through private gifts to the USI Foundation.



Baccalaureate/Doctor of Medicine Scholarship recipients

The 2005-2006 Baccalaureate/Doctor of Medicine Scholarship recipients are **Priyanka Arshanapalli** of Crown Point, **Sandeep Guram** of Newburgh, **Heather Keefer** of Santa Claus, **Nathan Oakley** of New Harmony, **Sarah O'Donoghue** of Newburgh, and **Priscilla Walker** of Indianapolis.

Six students are selected for the scholarship each year. The University provides full tuition waivers for the undergraduate portion of the program. Completion of the undergraduate degree and fulfillment of the requirements for the program will result in the student directly entering the Evansville Center for Medical Education of Indiana University School of Medicine, located on the USI campus.

Priyanka Arshanapalli, the daughter of Bala and Vidya Arshanapalli of Crown Point, graduated first in her class at Merrillville High School. In addition to the B/MD scholarship, she is a 2005-2006 Presidential Scholar. Presidential Scholarships cover tuition, fees, books, and room and board for a full four years and are currently valued at \$42,000. Priyanka was junior class secretary, senior class vice president, and a member of the National Honor Society. She volunteered at the Lake County Public Library, Indiana University Northwest, Davenport University, Saint Anthony Medical Center, and the Northwest Indiana Hindu Cultural Center.

Sandeep Guram, the son of Sudher and Mythili Guram of Newburgh, attended Castle High School, where he was president of the science club, vice president of the National Honor Society, co-captain of the speech/forensics team, captain of the science academic team, and won a second place medal at the Indiana Science Olympiad. He played varsity tennis and was tennis rep-

resentative to the student athletic council. He was a lab volunteer at the Evansville Center for Medical Education for two summers.

Heather Keefer, the daughter of Randy and Veronna Keefer of Santa Claus, was a member of the National Honor Society, science and math teams, pep club, Students Against Drunk Driving (SADD), Spanish Club, and the varsity swim team while attending Heritage Hills High School. She was employed as a lifeguard by the high school, tutored other students through the National Honor Society tutoring program, and spent a semester as a teacher's aid in a remedial math class.

Nathan Oakley is a graduate of North Posey High School. The son of Curtis and Annette Oakley, he was a leader in the math and interdisciplinary academic teams, German Club president, a member of the National Honor Society, and manager of the varsity football team. He was chosen as a mentor for junior high school students through the peers program and as a delegate to the Anti-Tobacco Youth Summit. He was chief of the cadet fire program of the Wadesville Fire Department, having served as assistant chief and training and communications officer. He was on the High Honor Roll all four years.

Sarah E. O'Donoghue attended The Indiana Academy for Science, Mathematics, and Humanities, a two-year residential high school for academically gifted Indiana high school juniors and seniors located at Ball State University. The daughter of Judy and John O'Donoghue of Newburgh, Sarah was involved in student government, speech team, science club, foreign language club, poker club, SADD, rock climbing club, and thespians. She volunteered at the Chandler Public Library and was employed at the Ohio Township Public Library.

Priscilla Walker, the daughter of Daniel and Lisa Walker of Indianapolis, attended Perry Meridian High School, where she won the Marion County Principal's Award, was on the "A" honor roll, won first division placement at the ISSMA state vocal competition, and lettered in varsity cross country and track and field. She was captain of both the cross country and track and field teams during her senior year. She also was a member of the Advanced Show Choir, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, student council, speech team, and National Honor Society, and was active in theatrical productions. She was a Sunday School teacher from sixth grade through her senior year, and volunteered for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society and at a convalescent home.



Deans scholarship recipients

The University's Deans scholarship is a merit scholarship awarded annually to five exceptional students who are graduating at the top or near the top of their high school classes. All the recipients this year are Indiana residents and will receive full tuition.

The 2005-2006 recipients are **Laura Buck** of Kokomo, **McKenzie G. Kramer** of Oakland City, **Michael Hobson** of Anderson, **Allison Shafer** of Plainville, and **Audrey Wells** of Evansville.

Laura Buck, the daughter of James and Judy Buck of Kokomo, attended Western High School, where she was active in volleyball, cheerleading, and gymnastics. She is considering a major in business.

The daughter of Kim Young and Bret Kramer of Oakland City, McKenzie Kramer attended Wood Memorial High School. She played soccer all four years, serving as captain of the team her senior year, and was a cheerleader all four years, serving as captain her junior and senior years. She plans to major in nursing.

Michael Hobson, the son of Jeff and Janet Hobson of Anderson, is a graduate of Liberty Christian School, where he was class treasurer his freshman through senior year, played varsity soccer all four years, serving as captain his junior and senior years, and played varsity basketball his sophomore through senior years, serving as captain his senior year. He plans to major in biology/pre-med.

The daughter of Terry and Tonya Shafer of Plainville, Allison Shafer was a student council representative all four years at North Daviess Junior-Senior High School. She was student council president her senior year, and was a class officer all four years. She ran cross country and track, and played volleyball and basketball. She plans to major in exercise science.

Audrey Wells, the daughter of Debbie Wells of Evansville, attended Reitz High School, where she lettered in varsity golf, played junior varsity and varsity basketball, and was on the student council all four years. She was a member of the National Honor Society her junior and senior years. She plans to major in biology/pre-med.

A total of 20 Deans scholars attend USI each year.

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Feasibility study for Southern Indiana Artisans Program underway

The Ohio River Scenic Route of Indiana, Inc. (ORSR) has received grant monies from the State of Indiana to conduct a feasibility study for the development of an artisan program in a 21-county region in southern Indiana. The counties include Dearborn, Ohio, Switzerland, Jefferson, Clark, Floyd, Harrison, Crawford, Perry, Spencer, Warrick, Vanderburgh, Posey, Gibson, Pike, Dubois, Orange, Washington, Scott, Jennings, and Ripley. Staff of Historic Southern Indiana, a community outreach program of USI, assisted with writing the Quality of Place Initiative grant for the ORSR and will assist with the study. "We think this project will create a great opportunity for Indiana artisans, craftspeople, communities, and art retailers to take advantage of the resurgence of interest and increased market for handmade products," said Darrell Voelker, ORSR president.

ORSR has contracted with Werking Communities, Inc., to conduct the study. Werking Communities, Inc., specializes in the development of artisan programs and has worked with several arts-related programs in Kentucky, including Kentucky Craft Marketing, the Kentucky Artisan Heritage Trail project, and the Kentucky Artisan Center at Berea.

Kathy Werking, owner of Werking Communities, is an artist and gallery owner from Midway, Kentucky. She has a Ph.D. in communication from Purdue University and has taught at the University of Louisville, University of New Hampshire, and Eastern Kentucky University. Her associate, David Cordell, assists businesses in start-up and development. "ORSR and Werking Communities, Inc. are excited about the possibility of developing a uniquely Hoosier artisan program that will benefit artisans and retail businesses and look forward to meeting and talking with business owners," Werking said.

A major goal of the project is to conduct an inventory of artisans and retail outlets that sell handmade crafts and specialty food products. Artisans include craftspeople, fine artists, wine-makers, cheese-makers, and gourmet or specialty food makers. Retail outlets includes retail spaces, such as gift stores, galleries, or state park gift shops, engaged in the sale of handmade crafts, arts, and/or specialty foods. Once these resources are identified, a program tailored to the assets of the region and to the needs of its artisans and retail businesses will be proposed.

Werking and Cordell will be contacting artisans and retail

businesses in the next few weeks to ask basic questions about their products and business. The interviews will take 10 to 15 minutes to complete. The information provided is valuable to the future artisan program. "Identifying all the artisans in the area, developing a brand identity and creating marketing channels will go a long way toward allowing southern Indiana's high quality artisans some of the same opportunities available in other states. We encourage everyone in the area who has an interest in the subject to participate and to provide information to make the project a success," said Voelker.

Contact Werking at 859/265-0445.

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New Harmony gallery celebrates 30 years

The New Harmony Gallery of Contemporary Art will celebrate "30 years in Utopia" with an exhibition featuring six artists chosen by former directors of the gallery. Each of the artists has exhibited at the New Harmony gallery in the past. Founding director John Begley chose Indiana artist Rick Paul; Jonathan Soard chose New York artist Mary Beth Edelson; Connie Weinzapfel, who is now director of Historic New Harmony, chose Indiana artist Karen Thompson; former interim director Scott Knauer chose Illinois artist, Chaeonae Kim; Blake Cook chose Indiana artist Ann Lannert; and current director, April Vasher-Dean chose Illinois artist Carole Loeffler.

"It is virtually unheard of for a contemporary gallery to exist in a town this small, but NHGCA doesn't just exist, it thrives," Vasher-Dean said. "It is a part of the very fabric of New Harmony. We are thrilled to share our celebration with the entire community and look forward to the next 30 years!"

A reception for the artists will be held from 4 to 6 p.m. Saturday, May 21, and is free and open to the public. The exhibition runs through Thursday, June 30. The gallery is located at 506 Main Street in New Harmony, Indiana. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and noon to 4 p.m. Sunday. For more information, call 812/682-3156.

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Indiana Association of School Broadcasters Competition

Students in the radio/television program won several awards in the 2005 Indiana Association of School Broadcasters College Competition.

Senior radio/television major Chad Connor won third place in the TV anchor competition for the television show "Access USI," which also won second place for TV news magazine. USI also won third place for TV school newscast.

In the Radio Division, Melanie Branum, a senior radio/television major, won third place for news report/package, and WSWI was awarded second place for station imaging. Cynthia Joyce Jones, a junior public relations and advertising major, won second place for copy writing. Brad Perry, a junior radio/television major, won third place in the same competition.

USI students competed against students from 14 Indiana colleges and universities and a record number of entries. The competition is judged by broadcast and advertising professionals.

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Names in the news

Welcome

Andrea Ruth Seib has accepted a position as senior admin-

istrative assistant in the Development office. She is a 2005 USI graduate with a Bachelor of Science degree in public relations and advertising, and was formerly a student worker in the Office of Advancement.

Jeri Broshears has accepted a position as senior administrative assistant in the Office of Student Development. She is pursuing an associate's degree in business.

Heather R. Odom has accepted a position as fee waiver clerk in the Office of Financial Assistance. She has a Bachelor of Arts in liberal arts from Indiana University.

James A. Hopper has accepted a position with the Physical Plant.

Janet K. Labhart has accepted a position as an administrative assistant in the Occupational Therapy Department.

Transfers/promotions

Christine Wolf, from cashier to accounting assistant in the Business office.

Accomplishments

Carolyn Roth, instructor in art, has had her article entitled "Being An Artist" published in the current issue (Vol. 9 No. 2) of *The Journal for the Liberal Arts and Sciences*, a School of Education publication of Oakland City University.

In appreciation

"I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for the flowers, plants, cards, phone calls, well-wishes, and prayers during my hospitalization and home recovery. Your thoughtfulness has been greatly appreciated, has made my recuperation that much faster, and has once again shown me the generosity of this University family." – **Gina Walker**, library associate.

In memoriam

A great friend to the University, **Donald B. Cox**, died Monday, May 9, 2005, at St. Mary's Medical Center. A real estate broker and active member of the Republican Party, Cox was a delegate to the Republican National Convention five times in three decades, and a delegate to every Republican State Convention from 1960 to 2000. He chaired state political campaigns for presidents George W. Bush and Gerald R. Ford, and Governor Robert D. Orr.

As a close friend and advisor to Governor Orr, Cox was active in the legislative and administrative process that led to USI being established as a separate state university in July 1985.

"Don Cox was one of USI's greatest friends," said President H. Ray Hoops. "He was a long-time member of the Board of Directors of the USI Foundation and was instrumental in the successful effort to build the University Home. He also gave extraordinary leadership to the effort to make the University a separate state university 20 years ago. It is fair to say that without his leadership, USI might still be a regional campus rather than one that serves all the state."

The University honored Cox on more than one occasion. He was awarded an honorary Doctor of Laws degree in 1988, an Alumni Association Special Recognition Award in 1986, and was a charter member of the President's Circle, a group initiated in 1990 which recognizes those whose personal and volunteer efforts, advice, and expertise have been consistently present in shaping the University.

Memorial contributions may be made to the USI Foundation

or the Welborn Baptist Foundation Don Cox Memorial Grant Fund.

Joe Valadares, father of **Kevin Valadares**, assistant professor of health services, and father-in-law of **Katie Valadares**, instructor in health services, died on Thursday, May 12. Services were held at Kelly Funeral Home in Nepean, Ontario.

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FYI

TIAA-CREF one-on-one counseling sessions

A TIAA-CREF consultant will be on campus to provide free 45-minute one-on-one counseling sessions from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Friday, June 17, in room 091 in the lower level of the Orr Center. Schedule an appointment to have your financial questions answered by an expert consultant at <https://ifs2.tiaa-cref.org/cgi-bin/WebObjects/ARS>. Topics could include long-term investment strategies, how to find the right investment allocation, new savings opportunities, or lifetime income versus cash withdrawal options. For more information, call the TIAA-CREF Indianapolis office at 877/267-4507.

Human Resources FAQ

How do I view my email pay stub? What is my password?

The E-visions software, implemented in January, allows for pay stubs to be emailed to employees. The email appears in your inbox as an email from #HRSWFE@usi.edu. Adobe Acrobat Reader software opens the attachment. Your password is your last name (in lowercase letters) and the last four digits of your social security number.

New Harmony Theatre ticket discount

University employees receive a discount on New Harmony Theatre tickets, and that discount will be supplemented this year by a deeper discount for season ticket holders. This season, the Equity Theater located in New Harmony, Indiana, will present a musical, *As Thousands Cheer*, June 10-26; the world premiere of a new drama, *A Moon to Dance By*, July 8-24; and the Neil Simon comedy, *The Odd Couple*, July 29-August 14. Employees receive the group rate price for single tickets, \$20 per musical and \$18 per play, and season tickets for \$46. The regular price for adult tickets is \$22 per play, \$24 per musical, and \$55 for season tickets. For tickets or more information, call the box office at 812/682-3115.

Frank and Judy O'Bannon Heritage Enrichment Award deadline is May 31

Historic Southern Indiana's Frank and Judy O'Bannon Heritage Enrichment Award will recognize an individual who is committed to the distinctive heritage of southern Indiana and works with youths 18 and under. The award will be presented to an individual who has become an exemplary model of community education in such activities as community heritage, heritage/cultural tourism, historic preservation, and historical interpretation in the Historic Southern Indiana region. The recipient's achievements will reflect the overall mission of HSI as well as the special interest of the O'Bannons in Indiana youth.

The award is open for people in paid positions as well as volunteers whose programs enrich the lives of young people age 18 or under. It is not limited to those who work in the schools. Nominees must reside in the Historic Southern Indiana region — the 26 counties of the southern part of the state: Clark, Crawford, Daviess, Dearborn, Dubois, Floyd, Gibson, Harrison, Jackson, Jefferson, Jennings, Knox, Lawrence, Martin, Ohio, Orange,

Perry, Pike, Posey, Ripley, Scott, Spencer, Switzerland, Vanderburgh, Warrick, and Washington.

Interested individuals may nominate themselves. A panel of judges will select the recipient by September 1, 2005. The award will be presented at the annual meeting of Historic Southern Indiana in early fall. The award will include a \$1,000 cash prize, a plaque, recognition at the annual meeting of Historic Southern Indiana, an article highlighting the achievements of the recipient in the Historic Southern Indiana newsletter, and a news release featuring the recipient's achievements. For a nomination form or more information, contact HSI at 812/465-7014.

Live at Lincoln Amphitheatre Concert Series

The 2005 Live at Lincoln Amphitheatre Concert Series kicks off Sunday, May 29, with the Evansville Philharmonic Orchestra's "Celebrate America!" The philharmonic will present a concert of pops and patriotic music at 7:30 p.m. All the concerts will be presented at Lincoln Amphitheatre, Lincoln State Park, in Lincoln City, Indiana. Tickets are \$20 for each of the concerts in the series, but children under 18 will be admitted for \$8 to the "Celebrate America!" concert. For tickets or more information, call 800/264-4ABE.

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4th Annual Golden Raintree Antique Show and Sale

The New Harmony Business Associates are sponsoring the fourth annual Golden Raintree Antique Show and Sale on Saturday, June 11 and Sunday, June 12, 2005 on Main Street in downtown New Harmony, Indiana. There will be 75 booths set up along Historic Main Street and inside the Ribeyre Gymnasium. The show and sale will run from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. on Saturday and 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. on Sunday. Admission for the show is free and it will be held rain or shine. A wide variety of antiques will be available at the show including painted country furniture, textiles, pottery, advertising, glassware, Americana, and collectibles. For more information, visit Web sites at www.newharmony.biz or www.newharmony.org.

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